Visiting Speakers Program

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Science, Technology, and Innovation: Imperatives for National and Economic Security

7:45 a.m. Registration and Coffee

8:30 a.m. Opening Remarks - James A. Lewis, Director and Senior Fellow, Technology and Public Policy Program, CSIS

8:45 a.m. Keynote Panel

Opening video -Steven E. Koonin, Under Secretary for Science, U.S. Department of Energy

Moderator: James A, Lewis, CSIS

Panelists

William F. Brinkman, Director of the Office of Science, U.S. Department of Energy

Alan R. Shaffer, Principal Deputy Director, Defense Research and Engineering, U.S. Department of Defense

9:45 Q&A

10:05 Break

10:20 a.m. Panel 1

Topic: America's Technology Competitiveness - The Vital Role of the Federal Laboratories

Moderator: Gerald Epstein, Director, Center for Science, Technology

and Security Policy, American Association for the Advancement

of Science

Panelists: Katharine Ku, Director, Office of Technology Licensing, Stanford University

Joachim Kohn, Board of Governors, Professor of Chemistry-Rutgers, Armed Forces

Institute of Regenerative Medicine

John Montgomery, Director, U.S. Naval Research Laboratory

J. Stephen Rottler, Chief Technology Officer, Vice President of Science and Technology, Sandia National Laboratories

11:50 a.m. Lunch Speaker - Robert D. Atkinson, President, Information Technology and Innovation Foundation

Topic: Innovation - Why Future Success Belongs to Those Who Innovate and the Fate of Those Who Don't

12:50 p.m. Panel 2

Topic: Collaboration - What is the future for Universities, Government, and Industries to work together?

Moderator: Brian Darmody, Associate Vice President for Research and Economic Development,

and Special Assistant Vice Chancellor for Technology Development with

the University System of Maryland

Panelists: Charles Freeman, Freeman Chair in China Studies, Center for Strategic

and International Studies

Jacov Shamash, Vice President for Economic Development and Dean of the College

of Engineering and Applied Sciences, Stony Brook University

John Miller, Director, U.S. Army Research Laboratory

Betsy Weitzman, Executive Vice President, Semiconductor Research Corporation,

Executive Director - Focus Center Research Program

2:20 p.m. Break

2:35 p.m. Closing Keynote Speaker – Wayne Johnson, ASTRA

Topic: Moving the Conversation Forward: ASTRA's work with Decision Makers

3:35 p.m. Wrap up